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Division of Solid Waste Management
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NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE PERMIT
FOR A SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL FACILITY

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC), Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM), has tentatively decided to issue a solid waste disposal facility major modification to City of Lexington for construction, operation, closure, and post-closure care of a vertical expansion to the existing Class III Landfill for the disposal of farming wastes, landscaping and land clearing wastes, construction/demolition wastes, shredded automotive tires, and/or certain wastes having similar characteristics and approved in writing by the Department.

The facility, identified as DML 39-0043, is located in Henderson County, on McKnight Road (west of State Highway 22), approximately 1.1 miles from the intersection of State Highway 22 and Federal Highway 412, Lexington, Tennessee (latitude 35°38'15" N/longitude 88°24'20" W). No hazardous wastes, as regulated by the Tennessee Hazardous Waste Management Act (Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-212-101, et. seq.) and the Rules adopted pursuant to the Act, shall be accepted for disposal at this facility. The official responsible for operation of the facility is Mr. Bobby W. Dyer, Mayor, City of Lexington, 33 First Street, Lexington, TN 38351; telephone: 731-968-6657.

Following an in-depth review of the application, DSWM has made a preliminary determination that this proposal meets the applicable requirements of Tennessee Rule Chapter 1200-1-7, Solid Waste Processing and Disposal. It is the present intent of DSWM, pending consideration of any contrary technical information received during the public comment period ending on December 28, 2007, that this permit be issued. Copies of the application and data for this proposal may be viewed at the Everett Horn Public Library, 702 West Church Street, Lexington, TN 38351-1713; telephone: 731-968-3239. These materials are also available for public inspection in the Public Access Area at the TDEC Jackson Environmental Field Office, 1625 Hollywood Drive, Jackson, TN 38305; telephone: 731-512-1300.

During the public comment period provided, any interested person may submit written comments on the draft permit and may request a public hearing. A request for a public hearing shall be in writing and shall state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. The public is invited to submit comments in writing to: Mr. Mike Apple, Director, Division of Solid Waste Management, 5th Floor, L&C Tower, 401 Church Street, Nashville, TN 37243-1535; telephone: 615-532-0780. Comments must be received by 4:30 p.m. CST on Friday, December 28, 2007, to assure consideration. After considering all public comments, the DSWM Director will issue a final permit decision and a Response to Comments, which can be viewed at the Everett Horn Public Library or at the TDEC Field Office in Jackson.

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Persons who wish to be on the Division of Solid Waste Management's mailing list should obtain a Mailing List Request form by calling or writing the Public Participation Officer, Division of Solid Waste Management, Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, 5th Floor, L & C Tower, 401 Church Street, Nashville TN 37243-1535, telephone: (615) 532-0798, email: solid.waste@state.tn.us.

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